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GARY S. NIEDZWIECKI, Officer, United States Secret Service, (USSS) Uniformed Division (UD), date of birth, [REDACTED], [REDACTED] was interviewed at the Office of the Independent Counsel (OIC), 1001 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20004. Present for the interview were Associate Independent Counsels (AIC) MICHAEL TRAVERS and MARY ANNE WIRTH; Department of Justice (DOJ) attorneys, JANIS KASTENBAUM and ANNE WEISMANN. NIEDZWIECKI was interviewed under the terms of an agreement reached between the OIC and the DOJ. After being apprised of the official and personal identities of the interviewers and the nature of the interview, NIEDZWIECKI provided the following information:

NIEDZWIECKI entered on duty with the USSS on January 23, 1978 and was initially assigned to the Communications Center for his first three years. NIEDZWIECKI said he was then assigned to the Special Operations Division (SOD) for thirteen years. Also during this time NIEDZWIECKI was a member of the Secret Service competitive pistol team. In August 1996, NIEDZWIECKI was assigned to the White House but was not given an assigned post. This assignment lasted until August 1997 when he was reassigned to the Deputy Chief's Office under the supervision of Captain BILL HEALY.

NIEDZWIECKI advised that prior to December 6, 1997 he had never seen or spoken to MONICA LEWINSKY to the best of his knowledge.

On Saturday, December 6, 1997 NIEDZWIECKI was assigned to Post [REDACTED] but was also expected to relieve other officers for their break time. Following his break, NIEDZWIECKI went to the Northwest Gate to relieve one of the officers there. When he arrived at the Northwest Gate, he found LEWINSKY already at the gate and apparently trying to complete the entry process without much success. LEWINSKY seemed to be frustrated and Officer BRYAN HALL was explaining to her that she could not come in without an appointment. LEWINSKY had a large bag which appeared to contain several Christmas wrapped packages. Officer HALL had told her to call BETTY CURRIE for entry clearance. LEWINSKY apparently had tried this but had been unable reach CURRIE. One of the officers at the gate called Officer TYLER who was stationed at the post

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